

## E-Dear Colleague

Subject: Half of us were girls. Join Resolution Marking Day of the Girl in the US!

Dear Colleague,

Gender inequality is particularly impactful for young women. In issue areas ranging from education access to health outcomes, girls face deep inequities compared to their older and male counterparts. While the US is fortunate to not deal with the extremities of these problems, girls still face systemic disadvantages.

I encourage you to stand up for girls' rights by cosponsoring a **resolution designating October 11th as Day of the Girl - U.S.** Already recognized internationally by the UN, this day would encourage educational organizations, government agencies and businesses with an interest in girls' rights to work together and create educational materials for US public schools.

To cosponsor this bill or if you have any questions, please contact Cortney Segman at [Cortney.Segman@mail.house.gov](mailto:Cortney.Segman@mail.house.gov) or (202) 225-2721.

## Potential Cosponsors

(contacted Rep. Suzan DelBene's office for Women's High Tech Caucus membership)

| Name (Party-State)          | Caucus                             | Women of Color? | Notes                                       |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------|---|
| Rep. Suzan DelBene (D-WA)   | Women's High Tech Caucus, Co-Chair | No              |   |
| Rep. Susan W. Brooks (R-IN) | Women's High Tech Caucus, Co-Chair | No              |   |
| Sen. Jacky Rosen (D-NV)     | Women's High Tech Caucus           | No              | Sponsored S737, Building Blocks of STEM Act |
| Sen. Deb Fischer (R-NE)     | Women's High Tech Caucus           | No              | Cosponsored S737                            |
| Rep. Brenda Lawrence (D-MI) | Unknown                            | Yes             | Cosponsored 115th Congress' HR 5136         |

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|                                   |  |     | GIRLS STEM Act            |
| Rep. Doris Matsui (D-CA)          | Unknown                                | Yes | Cosponsored 115th HR 5136 |
| Rep. Carol Shea-Porter (D-NY)     | Unknown                                | No  | Cosponsored 115th HR 5136 |
| Rep. Marcy Kaptur                 | Unknown                                | No  | Cosponsored 115th HR 5136 |
| Rep. Yvette Clarke (D-NY)         | Black Women and Girls Caucus, Co-chair | Yes |                           |
| Rep. Bonnie Watson Coleman (D-NJ) | Black Women and Girls Caucus, Co-Chair | Yes |                           |
| Rep. Robin L. Kelly (D-IL)        | Black Women and Girls Caucus, Co-chair | Yes |                           |

## Contact these people for cosponsors

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| Sen. Jacky Rosen (D-NV)           | Megan Thompson   |
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| Rep. Jackie Walorski       | James Welsh    |
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| Rep. Elise Stefanik        | Ben Nyce       |
| Rep. Ayana Pressley        | Lynese Wallace |
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